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# Community Servings Appoints Three New Members to Board of Directors

**BOSTON** (July XX, 2025) – <u>Community Servings</u>, a nonprofit provider of medically tailored meals and nutrition services, and a leader in Food is Medicine research, advocacy and policy, today announced the election of three new members to its Board of Directors:

- Cheryl Clark, MD, ScD, is the founding executive director and senior vice president of the Institute for Health Equity Research, Evaluation and Policy at the Massachusetts League of Community Health Centers and a practicing physician of hospital medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital.
- Max Osofsky, founder of Mission Health Capital, brings over 25 years of experience in
  private equity and consulting. He is dedicated to partnering with mission-driven
  healthcare leaders, combining his investment expertise with a network of sector
  specialists in AI and advanced technologies to drive meaningful change in healthcare
  delivery.
- **Giles Platford**, president of Takeda's Plasma-Derived Therapies Business Unit, leads a team dedicated to improving the lives of people who rely on plasma-derived therapies, many of whom live with life-long rare and complex chronic conditions with no alternative treatment options. He also serves as global chair of the Plasma Protein Therapeutics Association.

"We are honored to welcome Cheryl, Max, and Giles to our Board. Their combined expertise in healthcare, investment, and leadership will be vital as we continue our mission to provide life-changing meals to individuals facing critical and chronic illnesses. With their guidance, we are poised to strengthen our impact and advance health equity in the communities we serve.," said David B. Waters, CEO of Community Servings

The new board members began their leadership roles with Community Servings on July 1.



### Cheryl Clark, MD, ScD

Clark is the executive director and senior vice president at the Massachusetts League of Community Health Centers, where she leads the Institute for Health Equity Research, Evaluation, and Policy. Additionally, she is an associate professor of medicine at Harvard Medical School and a hospitalist in internal medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital.

A passionate advocate for health equity, Clark has championed initiatives such as a health center-led scholarship project and the development of a health center-driven research model. Based in Boston, she is dedicated to improving health outcomes for underserved communities, particularly through research focused on social determinants of chronic diseases and aging.

## Max Osofsky

Osofsky is the founder of Mission Health Capital, a firm that invests in mission-driven healthcare companies. With over 25 years of experience in private equity and consulting, he focuses on identifying transformative opportunities and fostering successful partnerships that create long-term value for founders and management teams. Osofsky brings a wealth of expertise in healthcare investing, complemented by a strong network of sector specialists in AI and other advanced technologies.

Raised in a family of healthcare professionals, he is dedicated to making a meaningful impact on the industry while also generating exceptional returns for investors. Before launching Mission Health Capital, Osofsky spent nearly 20 years at Boston based private equity firms Riverside Partners and Summit Partners and started his career in strategy consulting at Bain & Company.

#### **Giles Platford**

Platford is the president of the Plasma-Derived Therapies Business Unit at Takeda, where he leads a team focused on researching and delivering critical life-transforming medicines for rare and complex chronic diseases. He also serves as the global chair of the Plasma Protein Therapeutics Association, representing private sector manufacturers of plasma protein therapies.

With more than 15 years at Takeda, Platford has held several key leadership roles, including general manager of Brazil, area head for the Middle East, Turkey & Africa, president of Emerging Markets and president of Europe & Canada. He brings a wealth of global experience to his work, having lived and worked across Asia Pacific, Europe, and North America.



## **About Community Servings**

Founded in 1990, Community Servings' mission is to actively engage the community to provide medically tailored, nutritious, scratch-made meals to chronically and critically ill individuals and their families. We commit, in all our programs and business practices, to prioritize racial and economic justice and health equity. To help clients maintain their health and dignity, we provide culturally appropriate meals, nutrition education and counseling, and other community programs. Our kitchen team, with support from thousands of volunteers, prepares over 1.25 million medically tailored meals that are served to more than 7,000 clients annually. Community Servings is accredited by the Food is Medicine Coalition. For more information about programs and opportunities to volunteer or donate, please visit <a href="https://www.servings.org">www.servings.org</a>.

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